

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph on page 2, line 1, with the following rewritten paragraph:

Summary of the ~~Disclosure of~~ Invention

The first object of the present invention is to effectively utilize operation history on a device, and to provide a user with an appropriate service such as automatic control of the device or providing information.

Please replace the paragraph on page 3, line 5 with the following rewritten paragraph:

Also, in order to achieve the second object, the operation history utilization system according to the present invention includes a plurality of devices which transmit respective operation data that describes the user's operation details, wherein the said-service provision apparatus accumulates the operation data transmitted from the plurality of devices as operation history data in chronological order, and provides service according to the user's behavior predicted from a frequent operation pattern included in the accumulated operation history data.

Please delete the heading on page 3, line 28 as follows:

~~Further Information about Technical Background to this Application~~

Please replace the heading on page 8, line 28 with the following:

Detailed Description of ~~Best Mode for Carrying Out~~ the Invention

Please delete the heading on page 47, line 7

~~Industrial Applicability~~